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Further to the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed July 13, 2007, in the above-identified application, attached is a copy of an Office Action issued June 27, 2007, in the corresponding Japanese application. This Office Action occasioned citation of the reference submitted with the IDS of July 13, 2007. An English language abstract was included with the reference, thereby satisfying the requirement for a concise explanation of its relevance. The Examiner is courteously requested to initial and return a copy of the previously submitted Form PTO-1449 to confirm entry into the record and consideration of the listed document.

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